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To,

The Resident in Mysore.

Sir,

The Vaccinators paid by the Rajah and stationed in different talooks in the Mysore country having been discharged from the Service of His Highness from the 18th Ultmo. I beg leave to call your attention to the Subject - if this establishment should be continued by the British Government, it will be necessary with as little delay as possible to forward information to the Amildars of the different talooks, that the vaccinators are transferred to the Government's Service, and the protection and assistance must be afforded them as heretofore in the prosecution of their duties -

The Vaccine establishment of His Highness was formed in 1808, and placed under the Superintendence of the Residency Surgeons with a Salary of Rupees 350 per mensem - A list No. 1 is affixed to this letter, shewing the strength of the establishment the talooks in which the men are stationed and the pay of each - The pay has heretofore been received by my writer from the Shageerd paitha Cutcherry, is by him taken to the Bukshi of the Sappal Cutcherry, who transmits the Amount in Cash to the Vaccinators, thro' the agency of the Sappal writers in the talooks, and the Vaccinators

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on receiving the money forward me a receipt for the same — A register of Patients vaccinated is forwarded by me to your office, and on an average about 400 patients are Vaccinated monthly —

In addition to the Rajah's Vaccine establishment other two establishments also exist in Mysore, and paid by the British Government — one consisting at present of three second class vaccinators of the Madras Establishment whose pay is drawn monthly from your office by the Residency Surgeon as Local Superintendent of Vaccination, and to whose Superintendence these men were transferred in 1811. from that of the Abbé Dubois — the other establishment consists of a Canarese writer and 4 Vaccinators, for whose payment the sum of Madras Rupees 70 was authorized to be drawn by the Supreme Government in 1806, and this sum has since that period been regularly drawn from your office by the Residency Surgeon — table No 2 affixed shows the strength of the Bengal and Madras establishments, the taluks in which the men are employed and the pay received by each — the pay is forwarded by me in the same way, and thro' the same channel as that of the Rajah's Vaccinators — If the Rajah's vaccine establishment should be continued, I take the liberty of making the following suggestions —

1st That the three establishments of Vaccinators

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Mysore be thrown into one and continued as at present under the control of the Residency Surgeon as Local Superintendent of Vaccination—

2d" That the pay of all these Vaccinators be equalized, which can be most economically done, by placing the whole on the footing of Second class Vaccinators of the Madras Establishment, who receive Rs. 10.-8. each per mens. agreeably to a resolution of Government of the 25th" Ultimo— by this arrangement the Bengal Vaccinators will only cost Rupees 42 per mens. instead of 70. the allowance now drawn from the Bengal Presidency & which they should cease, and the Rajah's struck Vaccinators 13 in number, the English writer being off Rupees 1,638. per annum instead of 1,898.-12-" a saving in that establishment of Rupees 260. 12 per annum— Table No. 3. shows the present, and proposed reduced expense of the three Establishments—

3d" That instead of a Register of the Bengal and Rajah's Vaccinators being forwarded monthly, to your office, that the whole should be included in one return & forwarded by the Local Superintendent to the Superintending Surgeon for transmission to the Medical Board—

4th" That the sum of Madras Rupees 178 be drawn by the Local Superintendent of Vaccination for the payment of a Canarese writer; as all the correspondence and returns are in Canarese this Servant is absolutely necessary for so large an establishment or if this

this indulgence cannot be granted, that the Local Superintendents pay be encreased from Rs. 87/2 per mun=
=sem to Rupees 105, which will enable him to keep up a
proper establishment –

5th That the pay of the new establishment be drawn from the Residency Treasury on monthly abstract & the money forwarded as at present thro' the agency of the Bankshe of the Tappal Cutcherry, or in any other more Convenient way that can be pointed out –

I have the honor to be.

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant –

(Signed) Richard Kellett M.D.

Residency Surgeon –

Residency Mysore
30th November 1831.

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No. 2. List of Bengal and Madras Vaccinators employed in Mysore, and paid by the British Government.

Establishment	Station or Taluk.	Pay per month			Total per month		
		R.	a	P.	R.	A.	P.
Bengal Establishment							
1. Canarese Writer	Mysore	17.	8.	"			
1. Vaccinator Timmah	Mysore	14	"	"			
1. " Imiathkhan	Mysore	14	"	"			
1. " Soobiah	Toomkoor	14	"	"			
1. " Narrainy	Agulwaddy	10	8	"	70.	"	"
Madras Establishment							
1. Local Superintendent	Mysore	87.	8	"			
1. Vaccinator Antappah	Mahrajendroog	10	8	"			
1. do Chinnappah	Hassenva	10	8	"			
1. do Chowriah	Arkulgode	10	8	"	119.	"	"
	Grand Total per month M Rupees				189.	"	"

(Signed) Richard Hallett. M.D.
Residency Surgeon

No. 3. Table showing the present total expense of the 3 Vaccine Establishments, and the expense on the proposed reduced scale of allowances.

Establishments.	Present expense per Annum. R.	a.	P.	Expense on proposed reduced allowances per Annum R.	a.	P.
Bengal Vaccinators	840.	"	"	504	"	"
Madras	378.	"	"	378.	"	"
Rajahs	1,898.	12		1,638.	"	"
Local Supt. Mad. Est.	1,050.	"	"	1,050.	"	"
Canarese Writer	"	"	"	210.	"	"
	4,166.	12	"	3,780.	"	"

A. Rs. 210. of this allowance given to a Canarese Writer

B. Rs. 135. 10. of this allowance given to an English writer, which will cease

	R.	a.	P.
Present expense of 3 Establishments	4,166.	12	"
Proposed reduced expense	3,780.	"	"
Saving per Annum	386.	12	"

(Signed) Richard Kattett M.D.
Residency Surgeon

List of Vaccinators in the Service of His Highness the Rajah

Establishment	Station or Talook	Pay for a month of 36 days including Cupary C.P.	₣	P.	Pay for a month of 36 days deducting Cassary in Madras Rupees Rs.	a.	P.	Total Rupees for a Year of 10 months R.	a.
1. Writer	Mysore	5.	"	"	13	9.	"	135	10
1. Vaccinator, Soobrow	Nursipoor	5	"	"	13.	9.	"	135	10
1. " Murryappah	Astagraun	5	"	"	13	9	"	135	10
1. " Timmah	Chamrajnuggur	5	"	"	13	9	"	135	10
1. " Appasillay	Ooscottay	5.	"	"	13	9.	"	135	10
1. " Beenrow	Bailoor	5	"	"	13	9.	"	135	10
1. " Soornamiah	Dhodballapoor	5.	"	"	13.	9.	"	135	10
1. " Lupmiah	Moolwagle	5.	"	"	13.	9.	"	135	10
1. " Cottiah	Keecaree	5	"	"	13	9.	"	135.	10
1. " Annamuntoo	Serah	5	"	"	13	9.	"	135	10
1. " Rajappah	Kolar	5.	"	"	13	9.	"	135	10
1. " Rungah	Hecryoor.	5	"	"	13	9.	"	135	10
1. " Narsimmiah	Sermoogah	5	"	"	13	9.	"	135	10
1. " Lingiah	Honnally-	5.	"	"	13	9	"	135	10
	Total per Annum Mad^a Rupees							1,898.	12

Mysore
30th Novem^r 1831.

(Signed) Richard Hallett M.D.
Residency Surgeon.

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To the Commission for the Government of Mysoor

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to enclose you row Doctor Kellett the Residency Surgeon information.

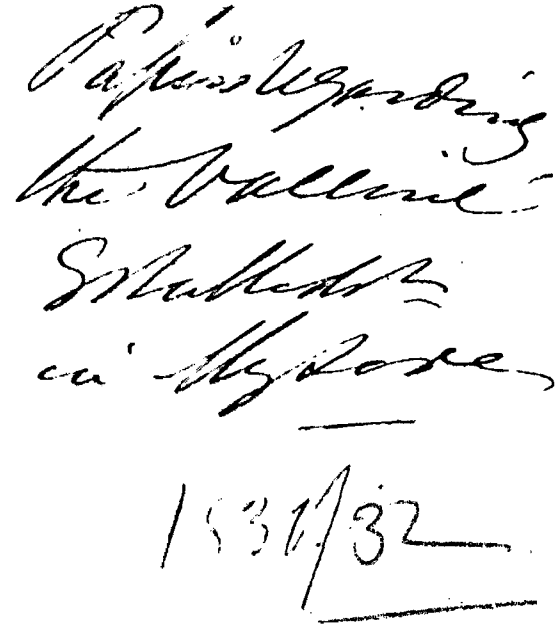
The number of persons hitherto Vaccinated in the Mysoor Territories by the Establishment under Doctor Kellett's superintendence average about 11,406 annually. I am informed there is no part of India where small Pox is more prevalent and fatal to the Native Population and therefore the great utility of this benevolent Establishment in Mysoor cannot be questioned, I would consequently strongly recommend that this Institution that has hitherto been supported by the Native Government at our recommendation should not be discontinued.

You will observe by Dr. Kellett's present proposition that by uniting the several Vaccine Establishments in Mysoor that a saving of expense may be effected of Rupees 386. 12. per annum, I beg leave to recommend that his suggestions may be adopted and that Doctor Kellett may in future receive the pay of the Vaccination Establishment monthly from the Commission and that the Sowzdar of Astagra instructed to receive from Doctor Kellett the amount of sum to be distributed to the several Talooks and forward the same by the District Tappall to the Vaccinators returning their receipts.

I have &c &c &c

Mysoor Residency
2nd December 1831

(Signed) J. A. Casamajor
Resident



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To,

The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.

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Sir,

I have the honor to transmit copy of a letter from the Resident of Mysore, regarding the Vaccination Establishment.

The advantages derived from this Establishment are so obvious that it seems unnecessary to recommend its continuance. But if any other recommendation were necessary, the fact of the peculiar destructiveness of the small Pox throughout Mysore, would justify the sanction of a greater expense than that now selected for the present Vaccine Establishment.

I have &c. &c. &c.

Commissioner's Office
Bangalore 20th Decr. 1831.

(Signed) C. M. Lushington
Commissioner

(A true Copy)
(Signed) W. Bannerman
Secy.

Fort St. George
30th January 1832

Sir,

Political Department. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th ultimo, and to state that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves and authorizes the continuance of the Vaccine Establishment in Mysore according

according to the arrangement proposed by Dr. Kellett.

I have &c. &c. &c.

(Signed) H. Chamier.

Chief Secretary.

To,

C. M. Lushington

Commissioner for the Govt.

of Mysore.

(A true Copy)

(Signed) W. Bannerman

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To

Geo. C. Russell Esqre

Officiating Resident at

Mysoor

Sir,

With reference to Mr Casamaijors letter to the Commissioners for the Government of Mysore dated the 2d of December last, on the subject of the Vaccine Establishments in Mysore, I have the honor by desire of the Commissioners, to transmit for your information the accompanying Copy of a letter addressed to the Chief Secretary to Government under date the 20th December 1831, together with a Copy of a letter from that Officer dated the 3rd January last, approving and authorizing the continuance of the Vaccine Establishments in Mysore according to the arrangement proposed by Dr Kellett.

Agreeably

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Agreeably to Mr Casamajors suggestion, the Fouzdar of Astagram, had been instructed to receive from Dr Kellett for distribution, the amount of the Salaries of the Vaccinators in the Several Talooks for which a receipt will be granted by the Fouzdar.

I have &c &c

(Signed) W Bannerman
Secretary

Commissioners Office
Burdwan
10th May 1832